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because he is the husband of Judge Pat Lamberty, for whom I have a lot of respect.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Further debate? Senator Schrock, you're recognized to close. He waives that opportunity. The question before the body is the adoption of the Natural Resources Committee's confirmation report. All those in favor vote aye; all those opposed vote nay. Record.

CLERK: 42 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the adoption of the confirmation report as offered by the Natural Resources Committee.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: That report is adopted.

CLERK: Mr. President, the second confirmation report, from Transportation and Telecommunications, found on page 1728 of the Journal.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Chair of the committee, Senator Bromm, you're recognized to open.

SENATOR BROMM: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. We had hearings on the 17th of April on these four nominees to the Nebraska Information and Technology Commission: Greg Adams, Eric Brown, and L. Dennis Smith have all served on the commission and are being proposed for reappointments. I think you all know L. Dennis Smith, probably, and Eric Brown...Dr. Eric Brown is the General Manager of KRVN. And Greg Adams is a Mayor from York, Nebraska. And all seem well qualified for this commission. Trev Peterson, the new appointee, seems very capable. He appeared and answered questions. He is an attorney here in Lincoln, and does seem to have to have the interest and the experience. And the committee unanimously recommended confirmation of all four of these nominees. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: You've heard the opening. Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, I just want the record to show that I'm aware that